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IN RE APPLICATION OF:

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SERIAL NO: 09/461,756

EXAMINER: BAUMEISTER, B.

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FOR: LIGHT-RECEIVING DEVICE
WITH QUANTUM-WAVE
INTERFERENCE LAYERS

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AMENDMENT

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SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated October 3, 2001, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend Claims 7-9 as shown in the attachment. The amended claims in clean form are shown below:

--7. (Amended) A light-receiving device according to claim 1, wherein said carrier accumulation layer has the same bandgap as that of said first layer.

8. (Amended) A light-receiving device according to claim 3, wherein said carrier accumulation layer has the same bandgap as that of said first layer.

9. (Amended) A light-receiving device according to claim 5, wherein said carrier accumulation layer has the same bandgap as that of said first layer.--

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